



# Data sharing Policies sn i and constant SISTEMA NACIONAL DE INFORMAÇÃO DO MAR



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#### Directorate General for the Territory (DGT)

DGT is responsible for the Portuguese Spatial Data Infrastructure – SNIG and also for the National System for Territorial Information and the National Cadastral

Information System.

DGT is also responsible for maintaining the Geodetic Network and to sustain the production

of national topographic reference cartography.



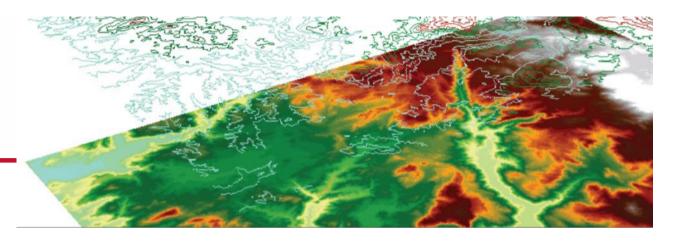


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### **Key competences**





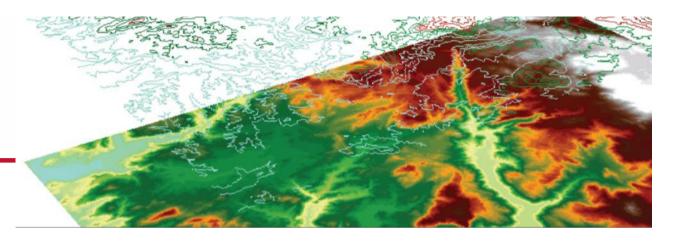


#### Portuguese National Spatial Data Infrastructure - SNIG

- From its geoportal it's possible to search, visualize and explore spatial datasets about the Portuguese territory, produced by public or private entities.
- Technological platform for monitoring the activities related to the application of the INSPIRE (INfrastructure for SPatial InfoRmation in Europe) Directive in Portugal.







#### Portuguese National Spatial Data Infrastructure - SNIG

- The entities register themselves on SNIG and submit the metadata of the spatial data and the network services they produce. These metadata need to respect the National Profile of Metadata.
- Main objective: To concentrate in one only place the registration of all geographic information regularly produced in Portugal. The data can also been visualized on the geoportal, through spatial data services normalized with the OGC – Open GeoSpatial Consortium specifications, if requested by the entity.





Data sharing policies - Developed activities



#### **Data sharing Policies**

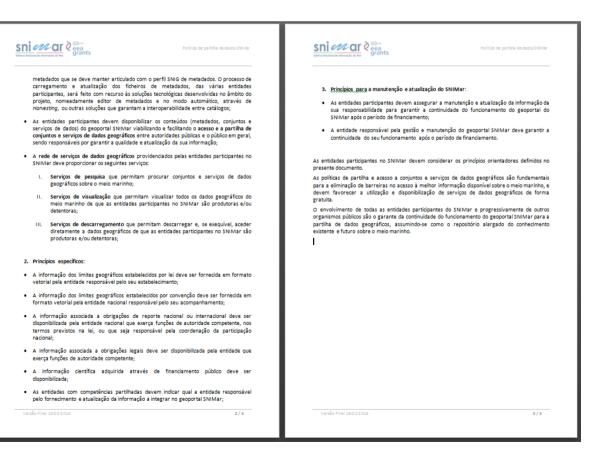
### **Objectives**

- Definition of institutional arrangements, to be adopted between the SNIMar entities, about data and services sharing policies.
- Ensure the articulation of SNIMar with the National Spatial Data Infrastructure (SNIG).



#### Guiding principles for marine data sharing policies







• SNIMar data - Survey and analysis of the situation in terms of constraints related to the access and the use of the spatial datasets and services





SNIMar entities - Characterization of institutional data sharing policies

**Online questionnaire**: The questionnaire results allowed the characterization of data policies and institutional agreements for data and service sharing from the SNIMar entities, and provided the basis to develop and define the SNIMar data policy.







# SNIMar entities - Characterization of institutional data sharing policies

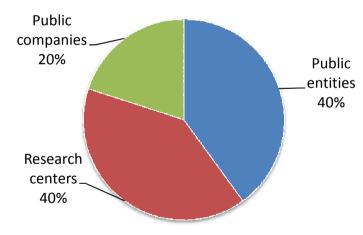
- 62% have a data sharing policy
- 70% indicate the following key points to improve data sharing:
  - Transparency (on the data)
  - Public access
  - Agreements

The bilateral protocols for data sharing between public administration entities are the most common agreements.

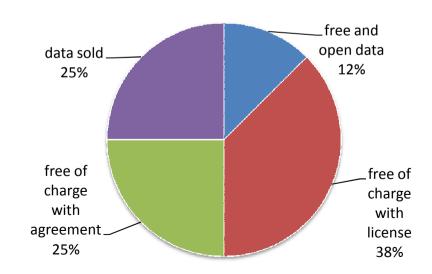


#### **SNIMar entities - Characterization of institutional data sharing policies**

#### Data sharing according to the type of user:



#### Data sharing according to the access conditions:





#### **SNIMar data policy**

Creation of the SNIMar data policy

Document. Each chapter is the

result of one or more of the tasks

developed since the beginning of the

project.









#### **SNIMar data policy**

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orterísticas e condições que definem o envolvimento e participação das entidades parceiras SVIMar, po abrange, as condições de participação no geoportal, as formas de disponibilização dos dados, as restrições de acesso e limitações de uso que vigoram, as regras para o uso da informação e o que é necessário par

nuns a um grande número de áreas temáticas no domínio da informação geográfica. Para os resolver são necessárias medidas que facilitem as tomadas de decisão que condicionam o acesso, a partilha e a utilização de dados prográficos interoperáveis e de serviços de dados prográficos, aos vários níveis da

Águas Marinhas e Costeiras, adiante designado por SNIMar, aprovado a 6 de junho de 2014, tem como

siderando a Declaração conjunta de Assunção de Responsabilidade para a imple o SNIMar assinada no dia 2 de outubro de 2014 entre as entidades participantes;

Considerando a necessidade de definir, no âmbito do geoportal SNIMar, uma plataforma comum de ntendimento para a partilha de dados do meio marinho;

Conselho, de 14 de Março, que tem por objetivo fixar regras gerais para o estabelecimento da infrarutura de informação geográfica na Comunidade Europeia (INSPIRE), para efeitos das políticas



DGT as data provider for the SNIMar Geoportal



#### **DGT** spatial data in the SNIMar geoportal

- Digital aerial photography of coastal areas of Portugal mainland
- Digital terrain model of coastal areas of Portugal mainland, including LiDAR data







#### Benefits of SNIMar for DGT and SNIG





#### Increased involvement in SNIG

- It sensitized the producers of geographic information for the SNIG relevance.
- Awakened to the importance of the INSPIRE implementation in Portugal.
- Promoted the participation of new entities in the creation of metadata and services.



#### **Benefits for the SNIG**

#### **Promoted legislative changes**

- SNIMar led to the need to amend the Decree-Law 180/2009, proposing the creation of an article about the articulation of SNIG with regional, local and thematic Spatial Data Infrastructure.
- New Decree-Law 29/2017, March 16th, Article 8A.
  - Article 8A Articulation of the National Spatial Data Infrastructure with other spatial data infrastructures.





#### Support the definition of the SNIG data policy

 SNIG wants to set a data policy to facilitate and promote the availability of spatial data in Portugal.

#### Under development:

- Study of good practices on data and service sharing considering the INSPIRE Directive (identify critical situations concerning constraints related to access and use, EU legal instruments...)
- Online survey about the data sharing policies from the public authorities





#### Increased the number of records in SNIG

With the allocation of specialized technicians to each entity, for the production and management of spatial data and the creation of metadata and services, SNIG will benefit indirectly by loading these data to the SNIG catalogue.





## Increased knowledge to support the creation of thematic regional and local Spatial Data Infrastructures

DGT will benefit from the knowledge obtained in the creation of SNIMar.
 This experience will support the creation of new thematic SDIs in other areas of activity in Portugal.





- SNIMar Maintenance measures
- Final Remarks



#### **SNIMar - Maintenance measures**

- Update of datasets and services, whenever necessary
- Update the local catalogs with quality metadata
- Ensure a secure connection of the datasets and information between SNIG and the SNIMar geoportal
- Periodic maintenance of harvesting actions of local catalogs of SNIMar entities
- Evaluate the functional performance of the catalogs and the geoportal
- Ensure the access to the services Guarantee of operation





- SNIMar raised the discussion of issues related to data access and constraints related to access and use, and proved to be a good solution for data sharing in Portugal.
- SNIMar will promote the creation of new thematic SDI in articulation with SNIG.
- The SNIMar data policy can be the starting point for the definition of a national data policy about open data.
- **SNIG** aims to continue to evolve to an open, flexible, interoperable and participated SDI, able to guarantee an effective and reliable access to spatial data and services provided by public authorities in Portugal.



